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BOOK REVIEWS



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THE GINGER CURE. By William G. Rose. Duffield & Company.

This little book of eighty-odd pages is not properly catalogued with therapeutic literature, as the reviewer inadvertently conceived that it would be,—far from it,—the book is merely a system of advertising methods, and although it was read mistakenly it served to entertain and divert and was laid down at the close with extreme reluctance. The “Ginger Cure” is for sick business, and consists of the application of vim and vigor and determined push. It must be unique; certainly one would never suspect the presence of such exciting opportunities in business nor the romance either, although this last manages to get into very unexpected places sometimes.

MERCK'S MANUAL OF MATERIA MEDICA. Fourth Edition. Merck & Co., 45 Park Place, New York. 15 cents (forwarding charges).

A trade manual, including a comprehensive list of drugs and chemicals, and also dosage, physiological effects, poisons and antidotes; a chapter on urinalysis, and various subjects akin to drugs and their uses.

MANUAL OF PSYCHIATRY. By J. Rogues de Fursac, M.D. Formerly Chief of Clinic at the Medical Faculty of Paris. Translated and edited by A. I. Rosanof, M.D., Second Assistant Physician King's Park State Hospital, New York. Price, \$2.50. John Wiley & Co., New York.

The increasing knowledge and the progress made in psychiatry since the second edition of this work was published is in part responsible for the appearance of this third edition of de Fursac's. The author adds sections on the following subjects: Disorders of writing; criteria of prognosis in dementia præcox; chronic mania; and acute mental attacks in the feeble-minded.

Contributions from the editor include the application of the Mendelian laws to heredity in insanity; psychotherapy; the constitutional